

Invitation to hold 10th congress in United States; foreign governments to participate.

SEC. 2. That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to extend to the International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy an invitation to hold its tenth congress in the United States in 1939, and to invite foreign governments to participate in that congress.

Approved, May 18, 1936.

[CHAPTER 424.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Providing for the importation of articles free from tariff or customs duty for the purpose of exhibition at Great Lakes Exposition to be held at Cleveland, Ohio, beginning in June 1936, and for other purposes.

May 18, 1936.
[H. J. Res. 547.]
[Pub. Res., No. 94.]

Great Lakes Exposition, Cleveland, Ohio.
Dutiable articles, imported for exhibition purposes, etc., admitted free, under regulations.
Ante, pp. 1243, 1352.

Sales permitted.

Provisos.
Duty on articles withdrawn.

Deterioration allowance.

Marking requirements.

Articles abandoned.

Transfer privileges.

Exposition deemed sole consignee of merchandise.

Incurred Federal expenses reimbursable.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all articles which shall be imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the international exposition to be held at Cleveland, Ohio, beginning in June 1936, by Great Lakes Exposition, or for use in constructing, installing, or maintaining foreign buildings, or exhibits at the said exhibition, upon which articles there shall be a tariff or customs duty shall be admitted without payment of such tariff, customs duty, fees, or charges under such regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe; but it shall be lawful at any time during or within three months after the close of the said exposition to sell within the area of the exposition any articles provided for herein, subject to such regulations for the security of the revenue and for the collection of import duties as the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe: *Provided*, That all such articles, when withdrawn for consumption or use in the United States, shall be subject to the duties, if any, imposed upon such articles by the revenue laws in force at the date of their withdrawal; and on such articles which shall have suffered diminution or deterioration from incidental handling or exposure the duties, if payable, shall be assessed according to the appraised value at the time of withdrawal from entry hereunder for consumption or entry under the general tariff law: *Provided further*, That imported articles provided for herein shall not be subject to any marking requirements of the general tariff laws, except when such articles are withdrawn for consumption or use in the United States, in which case they shall not be released from customs custody until properly marked, but no additional duty shall be assessed because such articles were not sufficiently marked when imported into the United States: *Provided further*, That at any time during or within three months after the close of the exposition any article entered hereunder may be abandoned to the Government or destroyed under customs supervision, whereupon any duties on such article shall be remitted: *Provided further*, That articles which have been admitted without payment of duty for exhibition under any tariff law and which have remained in continuous customs custody or under a customs exhibition bond and imported articles in bonded warehouses under the general tariff law may be accorded the privilege of transfer to and entry for exhibition at the said exposition under such regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe: *And provided further*, That Great Lakes Exposition shall be deemed, for customs purposes only, to be the sole consignee of all merchandise imported under the provisions of this Act, and that the actual and necessary customs charges for labor, services, and other expenses in connection with the entry, examination, appraisement, release, or custody, together with the necessary charges for salaries of customs officers and employees in connection with the supervision, custody of,

and accounting for articles imported under the provisions of this Act, shall be reimbursed by Great Lakes Exposition to the Government of the United States under regulations to be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury, and that receipts from such reimbursements shall be deposited as refunds to the appropriation from which paid, in the manner provided for in section 524, Tariff Act of 1930.

Approved, May 18, 1936.

Deposit of, as re-
funds.
Vol. 46, p. 741.
U. S. C., p. 894.

[CHAPTER 425.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

To authorize an appropriation for the expenses of participation by the United States in a conference at Brussels to revise the Convention for the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works concluded at Bern, September 9, 1886, and revised at Rome, June 2, 1928.

May 18, 1936.
[H. J. Res. 569.]
[Pub. Res., No. 95.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$6,500, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the expenses of participation by the United States in the conference to convene at Brussels, Belgium, for the purpose of revising the Convention for the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works, concluded at Bern, September 9, 1886, and revised at Rome, June 2, 1928, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere without reference to the Classification Act of 1923, as amended; stenographic, reporting, and other services by contract, if deemed necessary, without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 41, sec. 5); rent; traveling expenses; purchases of necessary books, documents, newspapers, periodicals, and maps; stationery; official cards; entertainment; printing and binding; and such other expenses as may be authorized by the Secretary of State, including the reimbursement of other appropriations from which payments may have been made for any of the purposes herein specified, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of State.

Convention for the
Protection of Literary
and Artistic Works,
conference for revision
of.
Sum authorized for
participation expenses.
Post, p. 1633.

Contracts without
advertising.
R. S., sec. 3709, p. 733.
U. S. C., p. 1803.

Reimbursement of
other appropriations.

Approved, May 18, 1936.

[CHAPTER 427.]

AN ACT

To authorize certain officers of the United States Navy, officers and enlisted men of the Marine Corps, and officers and enlisted men of the United States Army to accept such medals, orders, diplomas, decorations, and photographs as have been tendered them by foreign governments in appreciation of services rendered.

May 19, 1936.
[S. 1975.]

[Public, No. 603.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following-named officers of the United States Navy, and officers and enlisted men of the Marine Corps, are hereby authorized to accept such medals, orders, diplomas, decorations, and photographs as have been tendered them by foreign governments in appreciation of services rendered:

Navy, Marine Corps,
and Army.
Acceptance of certain
decorations, etc., ten-
dered by foreign gov-
ernments to designated
officers, etc., authorized.

United States Navy: Admiral William H. Standley; Rear Admiral David F. Sellers; Rear Admiral Wat T. Cluverius; Rear Admiral Hayne Ellis; Rear Admiral Ernest J. King; Rear Admiral Louis M. Nulton, retired; Rear Admiral Yates Stirling, Junior; Rear Admiral John R. Y. Blakely, retired; Rear Admiral Edward H. Campbell; Rear Admiral Walter N. Vernou; Rear Admiral Harley H. Christy; Rear Admiral Henry V. Butler; Rear Admiral Walter S. Crosley; Rear Admiral Frank B. Upham; Rear Admiral Edward

Navy.